

2015

WOMEN'S STUDIES

Third Paper

(Group – I)

(Gender and Literature)

Full Marks – 50

The questions are of equal value

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable

Answer *any two* questions

1. Comment on the significance of Rassundari Devi's My Life (Amar Jiban) as the first autobiography by a Bengali.
2. How does Ashapura Devi interrogate patriarchy in her novel *Pratham Pratishruti*.
3. Critically comment on any two transgressive women characters in Rabindranath Tagore's short fiction.